

FANCY CAROLINA RICE

We have the M. J. B. Brand Fancy Head

CAROLINA RICEput up in 2 1-2 and 5 pound cloth bags.
No Dust, no dirt. Pure clean, large rice.**ROSS, HIGGINS & Co.**

Agents for Chase & Sandborn's Famous coffees.

Local Brevities.

Look out for the man that jobs you and then says, "April Fool."

Just received, some fancy smoked bloaters. **ASTORIA GROCERY.**

There was no change in the condition of Samuel H. Maddock yesterday.

Home-made sauer kraut, 5c per lb. **ASTORIA GROCERY.**

1905 flower seeds now on display at Astoria Grocery. Come early and get your pick.

Some fine queen olives at 25c per pint at **ASTORIA GROCERY.**

Nothing doing was the report from the county clerk's office, the police and justice courts.

Olives and Pickles in Glass. The finest packed. See **FOARD & STOKES CO.**

Matt Lukrell of Eliza died last Wednesday of cancer of the stomach. He was buried yesterday.

A new invoice of Eastman's celebrated Kodaks and supplies received at the Owl drug store.

Hans Borg, a native of Norway, was granted first citizenship papers yesterday by County Clerk Clinton.

DON'T fail to see the display of Huyler's Chocolate, Cocoa and Candies at **A. V. ALLEN'S.**

The Occident (consortial parlors and bath facilities are equalled by none. Everything modern and up to date. See Peterson.

Snow in eastern Oregon; snow in the Willamette valley and snow in California, and Astoria enjoying delightful spring weather.

Four schooners crossed over the bar yesterday morning. In the afternoon the bar was reported rough and a 60-mile gale blowing.

Try a can of Shelling's best Spices; every can guaranteed. Your money back if it don't suit. **ASTORIA GROCERY.**

Ed Radebusch of Jewell is in the city.

Tim Corcoran of Jewell arrived in the city last evening.

Do you know that the McCrea-Ford Co., 638 Commercial street, are making a big reduction on all photographs during the Lenten season?

New Goods,
Fresh Goods,
High Grade Goods, at
FOARD & STOKES CO.

R. M. Gaston, at his feed stable No. 105 14th street, offers for sale a Landis harness machine; one butcher's wall scales, will be sold cheap.

Andrew Bringdale has purchased the J. W. Williams property on Duane street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth, and will take possession today.

The Imperial chop house has completed all arrangements for regular dinners and are prepared to serve patrons with the best dinners in the city.

Yesterday Senator Fulton received a set of resolutions from Oregon City protesting against the removal of the land office to Portland. Mr. Fulton sent the resolutions to Washington with a personal letter, requesting that the land office be permitted to remain at Oregon City.

W. J. Hess has opened the cleanest and best appointed restaurant in Astoria at 120 Eleventh street. The best in the market, and the promptest service.

The Library Association are preparing a concert for April 24. The Epworth League have kindly postponed their concert, originally set for the same date.

B. F. Allen & Son have just received a carload of wall paper in all the latest patterns and designs which they are exhibiting at their store on Commercial street.

Courteous treatment, an abundance of amusement, together with a line of all popular brands of liquid refreshments, has made the LaTosca a popular resort.

"With their face turned to the wall" was the fate of all nickel-in-the-slot machines at 12 o'clock last night, the date the sheriff set for closing them down.

R. M. Gaston carries a full and complete line of wagons, buggies, plows, harrows and all kinds of farm tools and machinery at 105 Fourteenth street, Astoria, Ore.

County Clerk Clinton yesterday commenced sending out poll tax receipt books to the various supervisors and collection of road and poll taxes will be commenced next week.

Families desiring either Colonial or Shalwater bay oysters can always secure them fresh at the Imperial oyster house, which makes a specialty of supplying families or parties.

All members of Union 917, C. & J. of A. are requested to be present at the quarterly meeting April 1, 1905. **T. D. SOUDEN,** Recording Secretary.Olympic Pancake Flour, Del Monte Buckwheat Flour. Now is the time, today. Everything in the mush line always fresh at **FOARD & STOKES CO.**

J. W. Walker, who bought the Lewis place near Jewell and who has been living in Astoria this winter, will leave today with his family for his new place and will reside there in the future.

More White Pine cough syrup has been sold in Astoria this winter than any other kind, because it gives instant relief. The Owl and Eagle drug store are sole agents for all the best goods.

The water commission has decided to repair the stave wood pipe on the conduit service and has ordered 2000 feet of staves for that purpose. Most of the pipe was found to be in good condition.

An alarm of fire from Uniontown called out the department yesterday afternoon. The fire was supposed to be in the saw mill, but when the department arrived their services were not required.

Joe Nick, the man who was shot at Clifton by Constantine Lemon, has so far recovered as to be able to set up. As soon as he is able to be out, the preliminary hearing of Lemon will be held in the justice court.

The fishing season opens on Saturday, April 15 at 12 o'clock noon. Some fishermen have the impression that it begins at 12 o'clock the night before. No one will be allowed to fish until noon on the 15th of April.

There will be a new millinery store, The Elite, open up in the new Carruthers' building on Duane street, next to Hedrick's theater. They have been delayed with opening on account of not being able to find a suitable location.

Senator Fulton has received a copy of resolutions adopted by the Coquille City board of trade, thanking him for his services in securing an appropriation for the improvement of the Coquille river and increased mail facilities.

Captain Fry of San Francisco arrived in Astoria yesterday and will take command of the American ship C. F. Sergeant, under charter to the Portland-Alaska Packers' Association and will take supplies to Nushagak river cannery.

Mrs. Kate Ferry died at 11:15 last night at her residence at 468 Irving avenue. She was a sister of Mrs. Henry Spellmire and mother of Mrs. L. Larsen and Mrs. J. V. Watson. No arrangements for the funeral have been made.

Fishermen who happen to see some fishing boats out on the river should not form the idea that they are fishing. They are special patrol boats commissioned by the master fish warden to catch fishermen who fish. Mr. Van Dusen states, however, that the law is being observed by the fishermen who realize the necessity of a strict compliance in order to not only appreciate the favors of an extension of the season, but to save their gear.

SPECIAL**DRESS GOODS SALE FOR THIS WEEK**

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WE HAVE one of the best selected stocks of dress goods in Astoria. No old goods. All swell spring styles. We bought these goods at prices that will enable us to make this sale attractive to you and sustain our reputation for selling the most trustworthy merchandise at the very lowest prices. Your choice here this week of all 60, 65 and 70c dress goods,

48c**Morse Department Store.**

508-510 Commercial Street.

The Place Where Everybody Likes to Trade.

The New ALASKAN WARE**THE LATEST AND BEST.**

FOR SALE BY

W. C. LAWS & CO. 527-531 Bond St.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE HIM.

Something Good and Cheap

OUR

Diamond - Mirror - Dresser**\$7.75**
EACH.

Come and see just what these dressers look like.

These dressers have no equal in the city for the price.

CHAS. HEILBORN & SON

Complete House Furnishers.

**PERFECTION**

How true to the name are our

\$3.50 and \$4.00
Men's Shoes.Perfect in Workmanship.
Perfect in Fit.
Perfect in Style.

ALL LEATHERS—BLUCHERS OR LACE.

Wherity, Ralston & Company

The Leading Shoe Dealers.

Special Sale Saturday**FROM 10 TO 12 A. M.****Your Choice of any 10 or 12 1-2c Piece of Outing Flannel in Our Store at****5c yard.****SEE - WINDOW - DISPLAY.****FOARD & STOKES CO.**

ASTORIA'S GREATER STORE.